**MR. JAMES SIMPSON** (*Darbar Physician*): (*a*) The treatment centres at Ottasekharamangalam and Cheriakolla were closed from 29-4-1111 and 15-4-1111 respectively. The field-workers except the Sanitary Inspectors were withdrawn.

| (*b*) | *In-patient.* | *Out-patient.* |
|---|---|---|
| Ottasekharamangalam ... | Nil | 10 |
| Cheriakolla ... | 8 | 16 |

(*c*) Six other treatment centres are being continued. The patients from Ottasekharamangalam are given treatment at the hospital at Chembur and those from Cheriakolla at Kunnathukal and Kottukal.

(*d*) No.

(*e*) A statement furnishing the required information for a period of three months after the closing of these two centres is given below :

| Station. | Dhanu. | | Makaram. | | Kumbham | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Relapse. | Death. | Relapse. | Death. | Relapse. | Death. |
| Ottasekharamangalam . | 91 | 14 | .. | 8 | 89 | 5 |
| Cheriakolla . | .. | 3 | .. | 3 | .. | 5 |

(*f*) The question is not clear.

*Malaria Relief in Nedumangad Taluk.*

330. ***MR. S. J. NAIR** (*Nedumangad*): Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) whether they are aware that malaria patients admitted in the Temporary Hospitals are being discharged before they are cured of their disease ;

(*b*) whether they are aware of the cases of patients who were discharged from one hospital and are admitted in another hospital ;

(*c*) whether they are aware of the exodus of malaria patients from one hospital to another ; and

(*d*) whether they are aware that malaria patients are refused admission in the Malaria Relief Temporary Hospital in the Nedumangad taluk ?

**MR. JAMES SIMPSON** (*Darbar Physician*): (*a*) No.

(*b*) Some of the patients who are discharged from one hospital cured, resort to other neighbouring hospitals when they get relapse ; and they are admitted in these hospitals.

(*c*) and (*d*) No.

LIBRARY ARCHIVES Kerala Legislative Assembly